The National Bank of Commerce in St. Louis.

Capital, Surplus and Profits,

\$8,000,000.00.

## Mississippi Valley Trust Co.

**MLL GRAIN MARKETS** LOWER-WHEAT SHARPLY SO.

NOTHING TO ENCOURAGE Local Fruit, Vegetable, Poultry, WHEAT-BUYING.

Fine Weather Caused a Decline in Corn, and All the Grain 'Markets Closed Lower.

Office Republic, Saturday, Aug. 25, 1969. WHEAT—Opening was 14c lower at 71140 for Sept, and 70%c for Dec, and for a time the buying was sufficient to hold the market at these rates, but a decline of le in Minneapolis, where receipts larger-the total for Minneapolis (which was 250 cars) and Du-10th was \$37 cars, against 289 a week ago and 23 a year ago-had a weakening effect pon all domestic markets. The news from the Northwestern crop was of great Injury by the recent rains, but the weather was more settled this morning. The decline here brought out considerable wheat that had been bought on the late advance, one reason for longs selling being that a Sunday was before them, and there was no telling what Monday might bring forth. So much more was for sale than was wanted that Sept. sold down to 70%c and Dec. to 73%c. No particular changes in the Continental markets were reported, Paris showing from 34c advance to 15c decline, Aniwerp un-changed, Berlin 14c better and Buda-Pesth 15d off. The day's clearances were poor, in flour and wheat 248,500 bu., and prospects were for a considerable increase in the vis-

strong market. Offerings moderate; choice wheat scarce and sellers very stiff. Buyers slow to pay prices asked, however. By sample, switched, No. 2 red sold at 72c to 71½c, with late sales at 71½c this and 72c E. Side; seed at 72½c; No. 3 red at 71c to 70c; No. 4 winter at 62½fc; no grade at 76½c; No. 2 hard at 67½c, and that bid; No. 3 do worth 66½c. In elevator—No. 2 red 76½c; O. 3 red 65½c; No. 4 de; no grade 37c. CORN—More favorable weather for the rect cope could not have been asked for, as one of temperatures prevalled after the CORN—More favorable weather for the corp could not have been asked for, as cool temperatures prevailed after the recent good rains and a couple of "lows" in the Southwest indicated that more wet weather was in prospect. Such conditions had a bearish effect upon the new crop option and Dec. was offered had lower at 333c without a buyer. Sept. much better sustained, though it was stated the country tained, though it was stated the country tained to be a second temperatures prevailed after the prices. Receipts were light.

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It was almost impossible to find a buyer of Dec., and the only trading was late in the day at 33c to 32c, closing at 33c. For year 33c then bid and 33c to roct. Sept. was not offered below 33c and at close 33c accepted bid.

Cash Market—Received 16 cars local and 24 cars through. Dull and easy. On track No. 2 white sold at 40c 3dc, and No. 3 mixed at 33c. No. 2 and No. 2 yellow worth the

the seaboard.

It was almost impossible to find a buyer

worth 40c. OATS-Western markets received 549,000 OATS-Western markets received 549,000 bu. against 83,000 bu. one year ago-32,400 bu. at St. Louis, against 29,000 bu. last year and shipped 555,000 bu. Exports 230,000 bu. The future market was weak and declined on prespects for larger receipts. Sept sold at 21%c, and there were sellers at 23% for Dec and 24%c for May.

Can Market-Received 27 cars local. Dull and the lower better and the lower, but sellers slow to meet his. On trk No. 2 sold at 22c to 214c; No. 3 choice at 214c; old No. 2 Northern at 23c; No. 3 white at 244c; No. 4 do. at 244c; No. 4 rust proof, at 214c.

RYE-Grade No. 2 not quotable above 68c

B. side.
FLOUR—A steady domestic demand at satisfactory prices, but little reported for export. Quotations on soft winter wheat flour are as follows: Patents \$3.506(3.6); straights \$3.256(3.6); extra fancy \$3.206(3.6); extra fancy \$3.206(3.6);

flour are as follows: Patents \$3.50(3.6):
straights \$3.25(3.45; extra fancy \$3.20(2.30);
clear \$2.20(2.5) low and medium \$2.25(2.50)
Hard winter in jute sks. \$2.25(2.50) for bakers; \$2.80(2.5) for straights and \$3.10(3.25) for patents.

RYE FLOUR—Jobbing at \$3.25 in sks. and \$3.40(3.25) for patents.

CORNMEAL—\$2.10(2.15; pearl meal, grits and hominy, \$2.40.

MILLFEED—Firm, with sales in la a same hominy, \$2.40.

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ne following tables	show the range	of prices
in sutures and cash gr	ain:	
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Wheat-Aug 71% n	7114 8767%	79 b
Rept 1116 a		70 L T
Dec 74% 6	7414/0/72%	75 14
Corn Ave 25% n		28 a B
Sept	275.023756	2714-98% b
Oct36% b		25% b
Dec 32% b	53 (402%	217.76
Year23% a	95	22 b
Dats-Aug21 n		21% n
Sept	211.00	21%
Dec22%, n	225/2612276	23 ta
May		24 b
Cash wheat, corn and		
		Saturday.
Last year		721467214
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St. Louis				70,672
Chicago	386,000	137,000	216,000	26,000
- Toledo	77,542	44,000	4,000	21,800
Detroit	18,212	18,780	*****	4.500
Kansas City	216,800	3,000	324,800	
Milwaukee	14,000	1,700	14,800	3,190
Aftennestalle	250 600	7,280	43,300	3,000
Duth	63,106	1,000	0,500	*****
w York	70,300	254,275	26,003	\$9,027
hiladelphia	56,431	49,163	4,283	123,198
Sorton	. 54,580	22,995	******	140,472
New Orleans	40,000	14,000	2,000	*****
Galveston	65,584	******	*****	*****

t To-day, Yes'day, Last Yr.

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Contract grades—

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1,0 1 corn 46,871 4,871 29,125

1,0 2 oats 50,240 80,063 51,625

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Shipments of Flour.

St Louis 3,739 bbls.: Chicago, 16,900 bbls.; Deposit 5,800 bbls.; Milwaukee, 42,461 bbls.; Mindianala 42,529 bbls.; New York, 11,539 bbls.; and

19.318 sks.; Baltimore, 19.676 bbls.; Boston, 3,682 bbls.; New Orleans, 200 sks.

## PRODUCE MARKETS.

Egg and Butter Quotations. St. Louis, Saturday, Aug. 25, 1900. The produce markets were generally quiet yes-erday, but prices, as a rule, were well main-Receipts of nearly everything were heavy and there was the usual Saturday lock of de-mand. Shippers were inclined to hold off until Monday, and the local buying was also light. Potatoes were weak and lower. Receipts were heavier, but the demand was slow. Shippers were practically out of the market, and local buying was less active. Calbage was quiet and steady at unchanged piles. Receipts were light, but was also as the s demand. Onions were steady and in good demand. Re-ipts were heavy, but all offerings of choice eet potatoes were firm and in good demand,

but there was some inferior fruit offered. Only choice stock was wanted.

Pears were quiet and steady, with receipts about equal to the demand.

Plums were firm and in good demand. Receipts were light and stock was scarce.

Grapes were plentiful and weaker.

Watermelons were quiet and steady. Receipts were heavy, but there was a fair demand for choice large Votthern melons.

Modium and small-sized melons, however were duil and slow. The season for Missouri melons is mactically over. Except the strong cash market here, there was nothing in the late news to encourage buying, and prices, which had ralled to 70½c for Sept. and 70½c for Dec., cased off again. This final decline was to 65½c and 72½c, and at close there were buyers at 70¢ for Sept. and sellers at 75¢ for Dec.

Cash Market—Received, 20,850 sks. and 92 cars local and 1 car through. Lower, but a strong market. Offerings moderate; choice wheat scarce and sellers very stiff. Buyers

Bairy Products.

Butter—The market again was dull and slow, bur there was no change in quotations. Receipts and offerings were lighter, but were more than surficient for requirements. Quotations: Creamery—Extra fie; firsts I7±@18c; Seconds 16:E Pairy—Extra fie; firsts I8c; greats 4844c. Country store-packed fie for good to 89 10c for poor. Laile-packed—Extra 18c; firsts I8c. Chesse—Quote: Twins at III;e; singles at III;e; Y. A. 121c; New York III;e; Limburger 19210s; Swies 13:214c; New York III;e; Limburger 19210s; Foregoing are Jobbing prices.

Wool,		
Missburi and Illinois—Med. combing 394,5671 Med. clothing 19 473 Braid & low. 18 4184 Burry & clear mixed 17 418 Slightly burry 15 416 Hard burry 12 413 Laght fine 16 417 Heavy fine 13 414 Wisconsin & lows— Med. combins. 18 418 Semi-bright .16 417 Bark medium. 15 418 Fine medium. 15 418 Leght fine 14 415 Heavy fine 11 411 Bright med 19 418 Bright med 19 418 Light fine 13 418 Light fine 14 415 Light fine 16 418 Light fine 16 418 Light fine 16 418 Light fine 16 414	Medium	
than quotations.	n 4c to 6c a pound less des. cen-salted 8%c; Southern	

thips 770.

HAY-Received 480 tons local and 300 tons through; shipped 548 tons. Market steady, Demand good for choice grades, but small to very light for lower qualities. Prices for new on trk. range: Timothy \$12@12.50 for No. 2, \$8.50@10 for No. 3, \$9.50@10 for No. 2, \$9.50@10 for No. 3, \$9.50@10 for No. 3, \$9.50@10 for No. 2, \$9.50@10 for No. 3, \$9.50@10 for No. 3, \$9.50@10 for No. 2, \$9.50@10 for No. 2, \$9.60@10 for No. 3, \$9.50@10 for No.

2520c per bu. The demand is only fair, both local and shipping.
ONIONS-Reds selling at 25252; yellow at 20c.
TOMATOES-Home-grown sold at 12615c per bu, loose for ripe. Orders charged higher.
CUCUMBERS-Home-grown selling at 15c to 31 per bu, loose-latter for choice green.
CABRAGE-Home-grown selling on orders at 15 for large crates.
CELEKY-Quote sound at 4025c per case for Mrskegon and Grand Haven, and at 75c per bunch for blue ribbon-heated and damaged not quotable.
GUMBE-Home-grown supplying the demand-selling at 25252c per 15-bu, and 15c per peck besket,
STHING BEANS-Home-grown sold loose at
TOSSIS per but, for round green,
SQUASH-tonsignments unsalable, Homegrown sold at 5610c per but,
TURNIPS-Home-grown sell at \$1.25 per bbl,
on shipping orders, Consignments not wanted,
SWEET POTATOES-Home-grown Bermuda
sold at 80c and Nansemend at \$161.19 per but,
bose, and at \$2.5073.50 per bbl, on orders, respectively.
EGG PLANT-Home-grown sell at 25@35c per
doz.

NEW SAUERKRAUT—Quote bbls, at E: naif-bbls at H.10. Small orders charged higher. Miscellaneous Markets. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 25.—Cattle—Receipts 15; standy. Hors—Receipts 4,241; lights 25.4656 high-er; others steady; light and light mixed 35,1666 5,29; medium and heavy \$5,0695,174; plgs 35,1666 4,75; bulk 35,125,95,15. Sheep—Receipts 1,694; steady

Miscellaneous Markets.

HIGHWINES-Selling on a basis of \$1.24.

SCRAP IRON AND METAL-Iron-Wrought
40e her 100 lbs; heavy cast 35e; steel and mallenble 25e and 35e; stove pige 29e; barned 15e. Brass
-Light 37; heavy \$10.50. Copper \$11. Lead
\$3.50. Zine \$2.75. Pewter \$12.

COOPERSTUFF—In car hots on trk.; StavesCottonwood flour bbl. \$8.5067; No. 2 \$404.50; half
bbl. \$56.50; heer ker \$12616; hard theree \$25;
pork bbl. \$18. Headings, per set—No. 1 flour
bbl. \$36. Shaved hoops—Flour bl. \$464.50 for
cooper, \$2 for Hoorier; half bbl. \$2.50; colled elm
(6-foct) \$1. onk land tes, cooper-shaven, \$648;
pork bbl. \$5.

COOPERAGE—Lard tes. \$1.15; park bbls. \$9e;
half bbls. \$5e; slack work, round-hoop flour
bare. MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. New York, Aug. 21.—Wheat—Receipts 79,500 bu.; spot market easier; No. 2 red Silge f. 0, b. affoat; No. 2 sept. 790, closed 724; Oct. 18078948; closed 894; Dec. Silge Silge, closed 1844. Flour-Receipts 1, 519 bids. exports 25.514 bbls.; sales 5, 189 pkgs.; market was dull and about steady at former prices; winder patents 25.7564; winter strainht \$1.4562.55. Minnesota ballers' \$2.5661.55; winter low grades \$1.4662.50. Kee baur dull; sales 209 bbls; fair to good \$2.9562.50; winter extras \$2.3662.50. Corn meal dull; vellow Western 880; city \$7.55; brandywins \$2.4562.55. Rye steady; No. 2 Western \$6966. f. o. b. affoat; State rye \$2563.6c. i. f. New York. Barley dull; feeding \$2548. e. i. f. New York. Barley dull; feeding \$2548. c. i. f. New York. Barley dull; western \$4570c. Corn-Receipts 18.175 bit. exports 80.627 bu.; sales 14660 bu.; futures 16.600 bu. spot.; spot easy; No. 2 & c. f. o. b. affoat; state rye \$2563.cc. i. f. New York. Barley dull; decding \$2540. Corn-Receipts 18.175 bit. exports 80.627 bu.; sales 14660 bu.; futures 16.600 bu. spot.; spot easy; No. 2 & c. f. o. b. affoat and 444; clow. Option market was quiet and easy all the forenoon under bearish crop prospects, unbadding and the drop in whoat, closed easy and 4874c net have; day \$614040; closed able; the state of the stat DRIED GREEN PEASE—Jobbing from store at \$1.20; split at \$1.50.

WHITE BEANS—Choice hand-picked pea beans in a fobbing way from store at \$1.202.25—screened & per lb. less. Western at \$1.50; weevily less. Lima beans at 6c per lb.

HONEY—Comb at loc to 124c—fancy white clover 12614c; inferior, dark and broken less, Extracted and strained in bbls. 5854c and in cansisfic per lb. higher.

LINSEED OIL—Per gal.: Raw at 54c; boiled at 6c; to per gal. less in car lots. Castor oil in bbls, per lb.—No. 1 12c; No. 2 164c. Cottonseed oil—Summer yellow 35c; white 35c; winter yellow 43c; white 44c. Natives Steady and All Sold-Texans St. Louis, Saturday, Aug. 25, 1992.

Rec. Ship.
329 428
3213 1.777 Horses and mules

GATLLE—Native Cattle Trade—It was strictly a fentureless day on this side of the cattle yards, receipts being too light to permit of any extensive buying, as is generally the case on Saturday. The clearance all around is good and under the heaviest supplies of the year, the excellent cleanup in the stock cattle department is particularly continendable. Beef steer values are clessing on about the same basis as a week ago, while butcher cow and heffer prices are Zic lower. Stock steers and feeders met an active inquiry throughout the week at strong figures and the most desirable grades advanced slightly.

Southern Cattle Division—Nine cars of fresh arrivals together with three cars held over from yesterday, comprised the offerings in this division. They sold steady to strong and consisted of Tentres.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

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STEAMBOATS.

Str. City of Sheffield and Barge For charter or will contract for towing, Address JNO, E. MASSENGALE, Traffic Manager.

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Saturdays, at 3 n. m., from foot of Pine st.
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Office 203 N. Levee, Phone M 1868, A 117.

The sales of the day were 2.000 hales, including 1.800 hales American; none for speculation and export, Receipts 1.000 hales; none American, Futures opened and closed steady; American midding, I. m. e; Aug. 5.20-6445 2.1-644 b; Aug. Sept. 5-4-646 5.1-646 s; Sept. 5-4-646 s; Oct. Aug. 5-2-6446 s; Oct. Aug. 4.2-646 s; Oct. Aug. 4.2-646 s; Dec. Jan. 4.2-646 s; Jan. Feb. 4.23-646 s; Dec. Jan. 4.23-646 s; Jan. Feb. 4.23-646 b; Feb. March 4.23-646 b; May. June 4.23-646 b; Abrill-May 4.23-646 b; May. June 4.23-646 b; New Orleans, Aug. 25.—Cotton—No saled; ordinary 7-1-15c; good ordinary 8-15c low middling 5-15c; middling 5-35c; good middling 10c; middling 5-15c; middling 5-35c; Sept. 8-75c; Oct. 8-15-98-25c; Nov. 8-05-98-16c; Dec. 8-68-98-8-6c; Jan. 8-05-8-16c; May. 8-15-98-15c; March 8-13-98-15c; April 8-15-98-15c; May. 8-15-98-15c;

POULTRY. Receipts Mostly From Chicago, With Prices Unchanged.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Aug. 25.-Dressed poultry receipts to-day 271 pkgs. The fresh receipts were confined largely to a lot that was bought in the Chicago market and landed here at 12c for firest.

New York, Aug. 25. Butter-Receipts 2.256 pkgs.; steady. Current packed factory 14816c. Cheese-Receipts 2.157 pkgs.; quet and easy; large white 15% 16% 16% 16%. Small wilte 15% 1 large eclored 16%; small colored 16%. Eggs-Receipts 4.67 pkgs.; firm. Western, less off, 16817c; Western regular packing at mark, 19815c.

Chicago Poultry Quotations.

71-gr.c; chickens Staffle.

Dried Fruits.

New York, Aug. 25.—There was not much doing in the dried fruit market to-day. Interesting new phases failed to come to light. Quotations follow: State evaporated apples, common, 256c; pr.me 43-36-34c; choice 51-36-3; fancy 65-37-6. Callismia dited fruits—Pruous 31-37-6 per lb., as to size and quality; apricots, royal, 11-374c; Moor Park 15-37-6, peaches, pecied 14-318c; unpecied 6-69c.

Minneapolis Flour.

Park 156 1c. peaches, pecied 166 18; unpecied 6 18; 
Minneapolis Minn. Aug. 2.—Wheat—Aug. 134c; Sept. 535; 174c; Dec. 174c; On track, No. 1 hard 56; No. 1 Northern 74 c; No. 2 Northern 75 c. Flour—First patents 14.05; 15; Second patents 15.55; 35; rst clears \$153,25; second clears \$132,25. Bran in bulk 312; 12.5.

Coffee.

New York, Aug. 25.—Coffee—Spot weak; No. 7 invoice 84c; mild, quiet; Corlova nominal; the market for coffee futures opened steady, March 5 points higher, other months unchanged, and ruied very quiet with narrow fluctuations, the foreign news being a stand-off; statistics were as expected, business from the outside public light and the room trade mixed in its views. The market closed steady, 5 points higher to 5 points net lower. Total sales were 9.25 bars, it cluding Aug. at 7.25c. Sept. 7.2967.25c. Oct. 7.29c. Dec. 7.2967.25c. March 7.60c and May 7.70c. Sugar.

New York, Aug. 25.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 45c; centrifugal, 25 test, 45c; molasses surar 4c; refined steady; No. 6 5.5c; No. 7 5.45c; No. 8 5.35c; No. 9 5.35c; No. 10 5.20c; No. 11 5.20c; No. 12 5.10c; No. 12 5.10c; no. 13 5.20c; on feetiments of the spot, Average demand otherwise was steady. Brown cottons close without improvement, Most bleached cottons steadily held; demand moderate; wide sheetings dull; demins in moderate demand and otherwise was steady. Brown cottons close without improvement, Most bleached cottons steadily held; demand moderate; wide sheetings dull; demins in moderate demand and other coarse colored cottons slow. Frint cloths unchanged. Prints and ginghams quiet. Cotton yarns difficult to sell and prices weak and irrogular. Woole and worsted yarn quiet and urchanged. Prints and ginghams quiet. Cotton yarns difficult to sell and prices weak and irrogular. Woole and worsted yarn quiet and urchanged. From Cottons for the process of the second cottons of the course colored cottons slow. Frint cloths unchanged. Frints and ginghams quiet. Cotton yarns difficult to sell and prices weak and irrogular. Woole and wo

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

ST. LODIS TIME. Arrivals and Departures of Trains at ILLINOIS CENTRAL. NORTHERN LINES Depart. Arrive. Train.
Northern Illinois ExpressSpringfield, Freeport and Dubuque † Saturday and Sunday \*Daily, †Daily except Sunday, ;Sunday only, ;;Saturday only, Northern Illinois ExpressSpringfield, Freeport and Dubique Daylight Special. 12:39 pm \*5:39 pm
Chicago Daylight Special. 42:59 pm \*5:39 pm
Springfield Accommodation. 4:15 pm \*10:46 am
Chicago "Diamond Special". 2:10 pm \*7:21 am
Southern Lanks.
Paducah Mail and ExpressMurphysboro, Carbondale and
Marien
New Orleans Fast Mail—Cairo,
Memphis, Jackson, Tenn.,
and Texas Express, Nashville, Atlanta and Jacksonville. Atlanta and Jacksonville. Atlanta and JacksonMarion, Cairo, Sparta and
Chester Murphysboro,
Marion and Creal Springs. 4:25 pm \*11:32 am
New Orleans Limited — Cairo,
Memphis, Dicks Fiyer, Nashville, Atlanta and Jacksonville, Fia. \*2:44 pm \*7:16 am
L. & N. R. R. only.
\*\*Daily except Saturday.
| Except Monday. AIR LINE. LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE AND ST. LOUIS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD. CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD.
Train.
Louisville Express—Centralia,
Mount Vernon, Mount Carmel, Princeton, Louisville,
Washington, Philadelphia and
New York.

Mount Vernon Accommodation (5:25 pm | 18:12 am
Louisville Limited to Louisville, Washington, Baitimore,
Philadelphia and New York. 9:15 pm | 8:99 pm BIG FOUR. LAKE SHORE NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER, BOSTON AND ALBANY AND CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY. AND CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY.
Train. Beart. Arrive.
Indianapolis Express 17.32 am 5.39 pm
New York and Baston Limited. 5.39 am 9.45 pm
Khickerbocker Special New
York Boston, Washington,
Baltimore and Philladelphia. 12.90 am 6.45 pm
Alton Express 11.59 pm, 24.29 pm
Mattoon and Alton Accommodation and Alton Accommodation
Boston, New York, Cincinnati,
Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia 5.05 pm 7.59 am L. & N. R. R.

Train.

Fast Mail—Evansville, Nashville, Birningham, Montscenety, Chattanessa, Atlanta, Masor, Charleston, S. C.;

Mobile, New Orleans and Jacksonville, Fla.

Mount Version Accommodation, 525 am 5136 am Mount Version Accommodation, 525 am 5136 am 5136 am Suthern Express, to Evansville, Nashville, Birmingham, Mohile, New Orleans, Thomasville, Jacksonville, Palatia, Ocula and St. Pelersburg, Fla.

100 am 5120 am 5120 am 5120 am MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY

B. & O. S-W. R. R. Train.
Cocinnati. Louisville, Washington, Halifmore, Philadelphin and New York Express. 2:15 am \*12:40 pm Cincinnati, Louisville, Pitts-Gashington, Balti-Train.

Fast Mail

Local Express

Kamass City, St. Joseph, Omaha and Southern Kansas Express

Washington Accommodation

St. Joseph, Joplin, Wichita and
Kansas Limited, daily

Kansas and Colorade Express

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Cover Lake trains leave Union Station at 500 a. m. 5015 a. m., 11100 p. m., 1525 p. m., 1750 p. m. 75:00 a. m., 49:15 a. m., 111:30 p. m., 10:35 p. m., 17:30 p. m.
Leave Vandeventer Avenue at 112:38 p. m.
Oak Hill trains leave Union Station at 18:45 a.
m., 10:18 a. m., 14:38 p. m., and 18:13 o. m.
Kirkwood trains leave Union Station at 17:00 a.
m., 11:00 p. m., 14:29 p. m., 18:25 a. m.
Leave Vandeventer Avenue Station at 11:33 BURLINGTON ROUTE-ST. L. K. & N. W. R. R-UNION STATION. \*Dally, 'Except Sunday, 'Sunday only, MOBILE AND OHIO.

Oregon
The Twin City Express," for
Minneapolis, St. Paul and

CHICAGO AND ALTON.

RAILWAY-(C., P. & St. L.)

CLOVER LEAF.

Train. Depart. Arrive.
Southern Special 7:28 am
Northern Special 7:09 pm
West India Flyer 8:00 pm 7:44 am
Murphysboro, Sparta, Chester
and Percy Accommodation 4:56 pm 11:25 am M., E. & T. Train.

Jefferson City, Colorado, Seda-lia, Clinton, Fort Scott, Par-sons and Indian Territory Ex-Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco,
Taylor and Austin Express. %:15 pm 7:31 at
Fort Worth, Dallas, San Antonio and Galveston Express 9:15 am 4:01 pm
Sedalia, Nevada, Fort Scott
and Denison Express 8:15 pm 7:31 an "The Twin City Express," for Minneapolis, St. Paul and Iowa.

The "Nebraska-Colorado Express," for Denver, Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast, via St. Joseph 16:59 am 16:59 am For Northern Iowa, St. Paul 7:40 pm 16:59 am For Milmois, via East Side line to Hock Island 16:59 am 16:59 am For Dibuque and La Crosse. 16:59 pm 16:59 am For Dibuque and La Crosse. 16:59 pm 16:59 am For Dibuque and La Crosse. 16:50 pm 16:59 am For Hobuque and La Crosse. 16:50 pm 16:59 am For Kansas City, Omaha, St. Joseph, Denver, Nebraska, Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast, also Northwest 16:50 pm 17:19 am Lecal from Hannibal. 11:30 pm 11:30 pm 6:40 am For Alton-Leave 7:50 a.m., daily; 8:21 a.m., daily; 11:30 a.m., daily; 1:30 p.m., saturday and Sunday; 5:50 p.m., except Sunday; 5:51 p.m., daily; 7:40 p.m., daily; 8:50 p.m., daily; 7:40 ST. LOUIS AND HANNIBAL. | Train | Depart Arrive | Mail and Express | 17:10 am 211:10 pm | Mail and Express | 15:07 pm | 17:10 pm | ST. LOUIS-PEORIA LINE. (See C., St. P. & St. L.)

"ST. LOUIS LINE." ST. LOUIS MERCHANTS' BRIDGE TER-MINAL RAILWAY SUBURBAN TRAIN

SERVICE:
Eastbound—Leaves Eighth and Gratiot Streets, except Sunday, 4:20, 6:18, 7:27, 8:51, 19:96, 11:19 a.m., 12:39, 1:28, 2:46, 4, 5:10, 6:25, 8:22 p.m. Saturday and Sunday only—1:31 p.m., Sunday only—6:24, 7:34, 10:12 a.m., 5:21 p.m.
Leave Washington Ave.—Except Sunday, 4:24, 6:21, 7:41, 8:55, 19:99, 11:23 a.m.; 12:24, 1:46, 2:50, 4:04, 5:14, 6:23, 8:26 p.m. Saturday and Sunday only—11:45 p. m. Sunday only—5:27, 7:38, 10:15 a.m.; 5:25 p.m.
Westbound—Leaves Granite City, Except Sunday, 5:12, 3:24, 4:25, 7:12, 3:17 p.m. Saturday only—5:26, 7:24, 5:37, 7:13, 3:17 p.m. Saturday only—6:26, 5:44, 5:35, 7:13, 3:17 p.m. Saturday only—6:26, 5:44, 5:35, 7:13, 3:17 p.m. Saturday only—6:26, 5:44, 5:35, 7:13, 3:17 p.m. Saturday only—6:26, 5:36 p.m. Sunday only—5:35, 9:36 a.m.; 1:36, 6.15 CHICAGO, PEORIA AND ST. LOUIS p. m. leave Madison Except Sunday, 5:19, 7:94, 8:13, 9:32, 19:46 a. m.; 1:15, 2:17, 3:27, 4:46, 6, 7:17, 9:31 p. m. Saturday only—4:56 p. m. Sunday only— 6, 9:41 a. m.; 1:67, 6:04 p. m.

Alton, Clifton Terrace, Chantauqua and Grafton. 15:03 am 18:01 am Peorta, Fekin and Springfield Express 2:18 am 7:50 pm Alton, Clifton Terrace and 18:25 am 18:25 am VANDAMA LINE. Express
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Train. Depart. Arrive.
Toledo and New York Express 8:12 am 5:56 pm
Toledo and New York Express 7:15 pm 7:60 am Eastern Line. ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN RAILWAY. (lilinois Central.) FRISCO LINE.

Train.
Continental Limited—Detroit,
Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New
York and Boston
Toledo, Detroit, Niagara Falls,
Buffalo, New York and Hoston
Express
Toledo, New York and Hoston
Fast Mail
Limited—Detroit,
Buffalo, New York and Boston
Fast Mail
Middight Limited—Detroit,
Buffalo, New York and Boston
Toledo, New York and Boston
Chicago Line.
Banner Express——11:30 pm 2:00 pm
Toledo Lecal Express——11:30 pm 2:06 pm
Chicago Line.
Banner Express——11:30 pm 7:35 am
Midnight Limited—Chicago—11:30 pm 7:35 am
Midnight Limited—11:30 pm 7:35 am
Midnight Limited—11:30 pm 7:36 am
Kansas City Express——9:30 am
Kansas City Limited—10:15 pm 1:30 am
Kansas City Limited—10:15 pm 7:30 am
Northwestern Lines.
Cannon Ball—Omaha—7:30 pm 7:30 cm Train.

Valley Park Accommodation... fc.19 am 10:39 am Valley Park Accommodation... fc.19 am 10:39 am Valley Park Accommodation... 18:39 am 18:15 am Valley Park Accommodation... 18:39 am 11:25 pm Texas and Kansas Mail for Carthage, Joplin, Wichita, Arkansas City, Oklahoma, Dallas, Galveston and Fort Worth ... Calveston and Fort Valley Park Accommodation... 11:39 pm 16:45 am Valley Park Accommodation... 11:39 pm 15:55 pm Pacific Accommodation... 16:29 pm 15:55 pm Valley Park Accommodation... 17:29 pm 15:45 am Valley Park Accommodation... 17:10 pm 17:39 pm Texas Limited (vestibuled), for Eureka Springs Fort Smith, Texas Limited (vestibuled), for Eureka Springs, Fort Smith, Ennis, Corsicana, Austin, San Antonio, Houston and Galveston State of Vinita, Oklahoma, Carthage, Joplin, Wichita, Burton and the West 9309 pm 7:25 am

## RIVER NEWS.

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Inches and is now 3 feet 7 inches above low-wa-ter mark of 1884. Weather clearing and colder. Loise in and out.

Paducah, Ky., Aug. 25.—Gauge reads 3.5 feet and falling. No arrivals, except Bob Dudley from Clarksville. Weather cloudy and threaten-ing. NATIONAL MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

Annual Conference to Promote Good City Government.

Philadelphia, Aug. 26,-The National Municipal League will hold its next annual meeting at Milwaukee on September 19, 29 and 21 as announced in the programme is-

and 21 as announced in the programme issued by Secretary Woodruff of this city. The occasion will also mark the eighth national conference for good city government, and it promises to call together a representative gathering of men from all parts of the country interested in the subject of municipal reforms.

Aside from the national interest attaching to the National League meeting the coming conference will be of additional importance because of the fact that in no other States have the questions of charter reforms for which the league stands been more generally discussed than in Wisconsin, where these questions have assumed practical shape.

Two sessions will be held each day at which subjects of importance will be discussed and interesting papers read. On the evening of the 20th the delegates will be tendered a banquet at the Hotel Pfister.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Vinita, I. T., Aug. 26.—Judge Watt Starr of Claremore, I. T., who was District Judge at the time the Curtis law went into operation in the Cherokee Nation, abolishing tribal courts, has concluded to assume jurisdiction of tribal matters again. He issued the following notice:

"Court Notice: As the Curtis bill has been declared null and void, I hereby give notice to all Cherokee citizens that I will convene court in Claremore the first Monday in January, 1901, and all Cherokee citizens will govern themselves accordingly.

"WATT STARR.

"Judge of Cooweescoowee District."

Sold Seventeen Carlonds of Hogs

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Pana, Ill., Aug. 25.—Fred Morrison, a stock raiser, yesterday sold seventeen carloads of hags at 5 cents per pound. He also sold 20,000 pounds of wool yesterday.